

Statement-V**Number of Homoeopathic Medical Colleges in the Country State-wise List (recognised by Central Council of Homoeopathy)**

S.No.	Name of the State/ Union Territory	No. of Homoeopathic Medical Colleges
1.	Andhra Pradesh	4
2.	Assam	2
3.	Bihar	1
4.	Chandigarh	1
5.	Delhi	1
6.	Goa	-
7.	Gujarat	7
8.	Haryana	-
9.	Himachal Pradesh	-
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	-
11.	Karnataka	9
12.	Kerala	4
13.	Madhya Pradesh	7
14.	Maharashtra	26
15.	Manipur	-
16.	Orissa	4
17.	Pondicherry	-
18.	Punjab	5
19.	Rajasthan	1
20.	Tamil Nadu	3
21.	Uttar Pradesh	10
22.	West Bengal	12
Total :		97

[English]

Chromite Mine Workers

3399. SHRI RANJIB BISWAL : Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

(a) the number of Chromite mine workers in the State of Orissa;

(b) the details of Chromite mines location-wise; and

(c) the details of the steps being taken by the Government for the Welfare of Chromite mine workers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI M.P. VEERENDRA KUMAR) : (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[Translation]

Criteria to Determine Poverty Line

3400. SHRI VISHVESHWAR BHAGAT :

SHRI RAM TAHAL CHAUDHARY :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the criteria for determining the poverty line has been revised recently.

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the estimated number and the percentage of the rural and urban people living below poverty line at present, State-Wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRIMATI RATNMALA D. SAVANOR) : (a) and (b) The poverty line is defined as per the report of the Task Force on Projections of Minimum Needs and Effective Consumption Demand as monthly per capita consumer expenditure of Rs. 49.09 in rural areas and Rs. 56.64 in urban areas at 1973-74 prices corresponding to a basket of goods and services anchored on a norm of per capita daily calorie requirement of 2400 in rural areas and 2100 in urban areas. The same definition has been adopted by the Expert Group on Estimation of Proportion and Number of Poor.

(c) The Planning Commission estimates the number and percentage of rural and urban people living below the poverty line in different states on the basis of quinquennial National Sample Survey data on consumer expenditure. The latest estimates of state-wise poverty (percentage to number) are available for the year 1993-94 (NSS 50th round). The same is enclosed as Statement.

Statement**Number and Percentage of Population Below Poverty Line by States-1993-94 (Modified Expert Group)**

S.No.	State	Rural		Urban		Combined	
		No. of Persons (Lakhs)	%age of Persons	No. of Persons (Lakhs)	%age of Persons	No. of Persons (Lakhs)	%age of Persons
1		2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Andhra Pradesh	79.49	15.92	74.47	38.33	153.97	22.19
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	3.62	45.01	0.11	7.73	3.73	39.35
3.	Assam	94.33	45.01	2.03	7.73	96.36	40.85